

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	Group Art Unit: 3737
Shuki Vitek, et al	Confirmation No.: 9679
Serial No.: 10/020,737	Examiner: William Jung
Filed: October 29, 2001)
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SENSING AND LOCATING DISTURBANCES IN AN ENERGY PATH OF A FOCUSED ULTRASOUND SYSTEM)))

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

M/S: RCE

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of month(s) checked below:

EXTENSION (months)		FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
\boxtimes	one month	\$60.00		\$120.00
	two months	\$225.00		\$450.00
	three months	\$510.00		\$1,020.00
	four months	\$795.00		\$1,590.00
	five months	\$1,080.00		\$2,160.00
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According to the MPEP 706.07 (f), if an Applicant replies within 2 months from the mailing date of a final rejection, and an Advisory Action is mailed before the end of 3 months from the date of mailing of the final rejection, the shortened statutory period will expired at the end of the 3 months from the date of mailing of the final rejection. "If the Examiner, however, does not mail an Advisory Action until after the end of the 3-month period, the shortened statutory period will expire on the date the Examiner mails the Advisory Action and any extension of time fee would be calculated from the mailing date of the Advisory Action"

As such, the extension of time is properly calculated from the mailing date of the Advisory Action (April 27, 2005), and just one month extension fee is required.

\boxtimes	Charge Bingham McCutchen's Deposit Account No. 50-2518 in the amount of
	<u>\$120.00.</u>

\bowtie	The Commissioner is authorized to charge Bingham McCutchen's Deposit
_	Account No. 50-2518 for any fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17 and
	1.445 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith
	and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account No. 50-2518.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated:

5/23/05

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